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Applicant in the above-identified application hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time to and including December 20, 2004 (December 19 falling on a Sunday) for response to the Office Action, mailed August 19, 2004. A response to the Office Action accompanies this Petition.

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